NOW IT'S A MOTOR SCOOTER.

CHUG-CHUGS OVER THE ICE ON GREAT SOUTH BAY

And Causes the Able Seamen of Those Parts to Let Fall Remarks-Sailing Scooters Also Rans Except When the Wind is Abeam or on the Quarter.

EAST MORICHES, L. I., Dec. 31,-Tho scooter, which has been developed on the Great South Bay within the past few winters as the utility iceboat and again showed its capacity in reaching the beach and geting into communication with the life savers at Fire Island during the steamship Drumelzier's peril, has almost reached perfection as a sailing craft over both ice and open water. It attains a speed of a mile a minute when there is a good breeze abeam or on the quarter, but with a head wind or calm it is an entirely different proposition. It is simply a case of get out and pull your

boat, or propel it by hand with ice pikes. Yesterday was a fine day on the ice; scooters, old time iceboats, skaters with and without sails, were enjoying the ice the whole length of the Great South Bay from Westhampton to as near Fire Island as the ice reached across the bay. These skaters and scooters did not expect to see a revelation, but they saw it all the same.

A scooter went chug-chug back and

forth through the astonished sailing and skating parties, driven by a gasolene motor. When failing in with a scooter under sail with the wind abeam the motor driven craft would find her match, but when running dead before the wind the sailing scooter dropped astern much as a pug would when a greyhound struck the track. When it was a dead beat to windward and the white winged flyer had to tack it was an also ran

The craft came out of Seatuck Creek, down Eastport way, and woke up the sleepy boats at East Moriches, who think they boats at East Moriches, who think they are some pumpkins, especially when Ez Terry iells them to "git a move on, now, and show 'em what East Moriches can do."

The motor freak next whirled down to Westhampton and the Westhampton boys soon wilted. Len Rogers said it took the starch out of him all the way down his backbone, and his backbone reaches a good ways down and up.

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Capt. "Rose" Gordon, keeper of the Moriches life saving station, doesn't heeltate when a shipwrecked crew is in danger. But he took to the woods yesterday. Jim Watkins and Bill Kraemer of Beliport have been shouting for the last two witters, but Bill could hardly open his mouth list night when his guests at the Wyandotts House mustered at dinner and remarked. "Don't talk, something's broke."

"Mose" Ruland at Patchogue went away back to his stone cutting yard and said he almost felt like cutting out his own monument.

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"Al" Latham of Blue Point life saving station thought he could make the beach about as quick as anybody, but he remarked:

"Say, did you ever see a horseshoe crab crawling along when the wind was no'theast and the tide a nipping? If you did you could get some idea of how fast I west in the wake of that East Bay 'thing on runners.' I'm going to tell Will Graham if he expects to have any big crowd at his place at the next scooter race he better get them fellers to show up."

Capt. Goddard, keeper of Lone Hill life saving station, said: "That craft was built in Eastport, did you say? Well, it's mighty lucky that Eastport didn't have any such speedy craft on ice when the Rosina was on the beach, or there wouldn't have been a drop of brandy left for the Custom House officers. Them East Bay fellows stole about half the cargo, and if they had had such craft as that to run it across the bay they'd stole the whole of it, I guess."

The Rosina was ashore many years ago. She was loaded with brandy, and Capt. Goddard was mate on her and ought to know.

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The craft came out on the bay at 9 A. M. and at 2 P. M. she had visited all the places named and had covered ninety miles, stopping to have a chat and show "how the thing worked" every time a party was met.

Two brothers of Eastport named Ketcham, with a local machinist to carry out their ideas, were the owners and builders of the craft. She is of the ordinary scowshaped scooter type, built rather heavy to stand the strain of the motor. In the centre is a trunk, very similar to a centreboard trunk, and in this trunk is a driving wheel with chisel shaped cogs to get a good grip on the ice. The axie, or shaft, of the driving wheel runs in boxes fitting snugly at the bottom and sides, but with a space of two or three inches at the top, which allows the shaft to rise in the slot shaped boxes when the wheel strikes a hump of ice, so that the weight of the boat will not be brought to bear on the wheel, but will still be on the brass shod runner. Coiled steel springs are fitted in this space at the top of the boxes to press the wheel downward when the strain is relieved. The shaft of the driving wheel is connected with the motor engine by a belt. In the Ketcham craft the motor is of 3 horse-power.

WINDSOR COTTON MILL FAILURE. Liabilities a Hair Million, With \$1,500,000 in Slow Assets.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed here yesterday against the Windsor Company, manufacturers of cotton goods at North Adams, Mass., by Charles H. Williams, attorney for the following creditors: Blaikie, Muir & Co. (corporation), \$4,174, for mer-chandise; Herbert Schubert, \$378, and F. W. Loudon, \$92, both on assigned claims from Blaikie Muir & Co. for goods sold to the company. It was alleged that the company is insolvent, and on Friday suffered receivers to be appointed in New Jersey and Massachusetts, Jay Ten Eyek in New Jersey and David A. Russell and Fred C. McDuffie in Massachusetts. Mr. Williams said that he understood the liabilities are \$500,000 and assets \$1,500,000 mostly in real estate and plant at North Adams. The stock here is pledged to a commission house. The company was incorporated under New Jersey laws in 1882 with a capital stock of \$1,600,000. The annual report for Dec. 1st. 1903 showed assets \$3,177,000 and liabilities \$1,325,115. Bradstreet's took away the company's rating in May last. T. S. Van Volkenburgh became president and Charles A. Brooks treasurer about a year ago and they have since been trying to build up the business. It was said yesterday at the office of the concern here that Mr. Van Volkenburgh had been at home for two weeks past having dislocated his shoulder by a fall. Mr. Brooks said that he had not heard of the bankruptcy proceedings instituted in this city. Asked what other causes than the decline in cotton had affected the company, he said that it had been running behind for a year past and had been running behind for a year past and had been trying to reorganize and get things into shape, but did not have money to pay the bills, so that it was thought best to stop now and hope for the best. He could give no figures as to the assets and liabilities, but said that the press despatches giving the liabilities at \$509,000 were not far out of the way. The plant is a large and valuable one. The company has very little merchandise here. Dec. 1st. 1903 showed assets \$3,177,000 and

Fifteen-Year-Old Girl a Suicide.

BUFFALO, Dec. 31.-Mamie Freemont, 15 years old, of 907 Perry street, committed suicide last night by drinking carbolic suicide last night by drinking carbonic acid. The young girl had been a sufferer from a nervous disorder for a long time, and was forced to remain out of school a great part of the last year. This preyed upon her mind, and last night, when her parents were retiring, she went to the kitchen of her home and killed herself. She died in his mother's arms. died in her mother's arms.



Double "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps Mornings from 8:30 Till 12 o'Clock. Thereafter, Single Stamps Until Closing Hour,

The Specials in this Advertisement are for Tuesday --- Store Closed Monday.

1905 Embroideries.

The Great Sale Which Begins Next Tuesday Will Prove a Revelation.

The Saving on Each Purchase Averages One-Third. It Will Be by All Odds the Largest Showing Ever

Seen in a Store in New York. There will be enormous quantities of newest designs in Anglaise, Van Dyke, Irish Point and lace effects in Matched Sets,
Also breadly abundant showings of Tuckings, Panels, Medallions, Galloons and Motifs.
We append a brief story of the prices and descriptions:

Special Displays of

Embroidaries for Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Edges, In- CORSET COVERS, SKIRT FLOUNC-sertions, Beadings and Bandings, Quali- INGS AND WIDE INSERTIONS, ties regularly up to 8c a yard; sale

3c loss; per yard,

price,

OTHER QUALITIES, sold regularly 5c 12/2c, 15c, 19c, 25c up to 10c per yard; sale price,

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Annual Sale of Canned Foods

Will as Usual Take Place Early in January.

Customers will find it greatly to their advantage to wait for this sale, for it offers thousands of cases of purest Canned Foods

At Extraordinarily Low Prices.

These sales constitute one of the established features of our business. They are planned and completed upon the broadest scale possible, preparations being carried on for months in advance of the announcement. It is a sale that can be depended upon implicitly. Customers know that from experience, Further details later.

Our Semi-Annual

Commences TUESDAY MORNING at 8 A. M.

BOY THIEVES PROUD OF CRIME.

TOUGHEST PROBLEM THE CHIL-DREN'S COURT MUST MEET.

Prebation Officer Jenkins Reviews the Work of the Year-Chicago Judge Sits With Justice Deucl - Compares the Work of the Two Juvenile Courts.

The report of Chief Probation Officer Jenkins was submitted to Justice Deuel in the Children's Court yesterday. The report has this to say of results;

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A conservative opinion may safely state that after two years' trial results indicate that the juvenile court's establishment was a step in the right direction.

Disorderly conduct still produces the great-set number of boys paroled, and the next is retty larceny. Grand larceny and burglary thow together that over 300 poys so charsed were puroled during the year. These little ellows are in a class quite distinct, and often express their superiority to the boys in custody on lesser charges. They glory in the sensitionalism attached to their cases by the public press and invariably collect every chipping a corroboration of their vain stories. Those ire the most difficult cases to handle on parole.

Thave known a boy to report with the most satisfactory regularity, attend school regularly, be at home early, always meet the probation officer, and to all appearances seem to express the smeerest regret for his offence, who picked pockets in crowds after school hours and on Sundays and who was caught by a parole officer picking pockets he afternoon after his parole had been continued. He is now in a reformatory.

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On the bench with Justice Deuel during the session of the court were Jacob H. Schiff, the Rev. Dr. Henry Wilson and Julian W. Mack, Judge of the Juvenile Court in Chicago, who watched the cases closely.

Judge Mack said after court:

"The system here is entirely different from ours. We don't so much convict, find guilty or not guilty of a crime or misdemeanor as find the children delinquent.

"We have no police officers in uniform in court, or anything to impress the child with the idea he is under arrest. There are good points in the system here. It gives the Judge a chance to see what the paroled child is doing, but it does impress the child with the idea of being in court, which we strive against."

DOG ATTACKS POLICEMAN.

Tore Fagan's Hand and Arm Before He Was Shot and Killed.

Policeman Peter Fagan of the Charles street station was hurrying from a little fire in Downing street yesterday when just as he turned the corner of Bleecker and Hancock streets, a good sized shaggy haired dog leaped at his face. Fagan put up his left hand and the dog's teeth went through the glove, tearing the flesh. On the next leap he bit through the sleeve of the policeman's coat, making a bloody wound in the left forearm. By this time Pagan had his revolver in his right hand and succeeded in killing the dog. The policeman had to quit duty.

Yesterday brought by Frank H. Mitchell. According to the complaint, Birdseye was attorney for the American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell. Assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned their claim over to him. He said he told Mr. Birdseye told so and kept it, alleging that he had an account against the American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned their claim over to him. He said he told Mr. Birdseye told so and kept it, alleging that he had an account against the American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the first sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the first sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company, according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company according to Mitchell according to Mitchell, assigned the sum of \$229.70. The American Coxin Company according to Mitchell according to Mitchell



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AMERICAN-BELGIUM CORSET LAUNDRY.

AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.

A Vital Question. for the high liver.
Pohn's Latstives 25c., at Ellier's, Hegeman & Co's, Kalish's, Jungmann's, Bolton's, Einsman's, Petty's, Hartnett's and other Bruggists.

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GENERAL CONTRACTOR We solicit correspondence with parties desiring the services of an organiza-tion consisting of engineers and practi-chi mechanics.

BALTIMORE. NEW YORK CLARENCE BIRDSEYE ACCUSED. Lawyer and Legal Author Charged With

Wrongly Keeping Money. Clarence F. Birdseye, a well known lawyer with offices in the Broad Exchange Building and the editor of the Revised Statutes of New York, was before Magistrate Breen in the Tombs police court on a summons yesterday brought by Frank H. Mitchell.

Lord & Taylor.

Annual Sale

Household Linens

Begins Tuesday, January 3d, 1905.

with advantages never before equalled by any previous sale.

The best manufacturers of Europe have contributed their surplus stocks at price concessions in many cases below cost of manufacture, including lines taken from our regular stock at

Reductions Ranging from to to less than former prices. Our preparation for this sale has extended over the past six months, and the stock is replete with every housekeeping and decorative requisite. Special lots of interest to Hotels, Boarding Houses and Institutions are included.

Among those worthy special mention are:—

Table Cloths.

\$1.90 and \$2.00, formerly \$2.50 and \$3.00. 2x21/2 yds.,

\$2.38 and \$2.50.

2x3 yds. \$2.85 and \$3.00. formerly \$3.75 and \$4.50. 21/2 x21/2 yds., \$3.35 and \$4.25, formerly \$4.50 and \$6.25.

formerly \$3.15 and \$3.75. Longer lengths at proportionate prices, bearing same ratio of re-Extra Fine Damask Cloths.

2 yds. wide x 2, 2½, 3, 8½, . 4 yds. long. 234 yds. wide x 2½, 3, 8½, 4, yds. long. At Greatly Reduced Prices.

(Dinner Size); regular 3.00 and 3.50 and 3.78 regular 8.75, 4.00 and 4.50 quality, at \$2.50

Table Damask. (by the yard); regular 650., 750., 1.00 and 1.25 50c, 65c, 85c and \$1.00.

Hemmed Huck; regular 2.00 and

(Dinner size):

2.75 quality, at \$1.50 and \$2.25.

Hemstitched Huck Towels.

Assorted Damask Borders-

Figured Huck, regular 9.00 quality \$6.00 doz. Glass Towelling. Bath Towels. All linen, blue and red checks 1234c., reduced from 15c.

Heavy Turkish Bath Towels, regular \$75.c. quality, at 25c yd. | Linen Pillow Cases.

Crash Towelling. All linen, 10c. and 121/2c. yd., regular 121/2c. and 15c. grades.

Extra quality, linen hem-stitched, 90c., 1.25 and 1.45 pair; regular, 1.25, 1.75 and 2.00 quality. Damask Tray Cloths, hemstitched and open work 25c each

Irish Linen, hand embroidered regular 2.75 and 3.00 quality. \$1.75 and \$2 00 pair.

Linen Sheets regular 6.00 and 7.75 quality; \$4.50 and \$5 50

Broadway and 20th St., 5th Ave., 19th.

Lord & Taylor.

Announce their

Annual Sale

Blankets, Comfortables, Bed Spreads, Sheets and Pillow Cases,

beginning Tuesday, January 3, 1905.

Included in this sale is the entire sample stock of the largest manufacturer of Bed Comfortables in the United States, including cotton, down and wool filled, all highly desirable, and

at & and & less than regular value. Cotton Filled Comfortables, Regular \$1.50 to \$4.50 quality, 98c. to \$2.25.

Down Filled Comfortables, \$3.95. Regular \$5.00 to \$8.50 quality. Better grades in down filled, \$6.50 to \$11.50. Regular \$9.00 to \$25.00 quality.

Wool Filled Comfortables, Regular \$3.75 to \$18.50,

at \$2.50 to \$10.50.

Utica Sheets and Pillow Cases

regularly made, hand torn and ironed, at greatly reduced prices. In fact, much less than the wholesale cost of the

Sheets -- 54x90, 45c.; 63x99, 56c.; 72x99, 6rc.; 81x90, 62c.; 81x931/2, 65c.: 81x99, 69c.; 90x931/2, 72c. Pillow Cases-42x36, 14c: 45x36, 15c.: 50x36, 16 1-2c.; 54x36, 18 1-2c.

Blankets, large size, decided reduction from regular prices.

Bed Spreads, Crochet and Satin 98c. to \$14.50

Exceptional values.

Broadway and 20th St., 5th Av., 19th St.

Annual Sale of Muslin Underwear, Silk Petticoats, Kimonos and Corsets,

Commencing Tuesday, January 3rd.

Night Gowns and Drawers, 50c., 75c., 98c., \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.45 to \$4.95 Chemises,

75c., 98c., \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.45 to \$2.95 Corset Covers,

35c., 50c., 75c., 98c., \$1.25 & \$1.95

Skirts. 98c., \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.95 to \$5.00.

Odd Pieces in Gowns, Chemises and Drawers (at about 1/2 their value.)

White Petticoats, elaborately trimmed with lace or embroidery, from \$5.00 to \$15.00. (about 1/2 their value.)

Trousseaux Sets in a large variety of styles, at \$5.00, \$6.75, \$8.75 & \$12.75, value \$8.00 to \$20.00.

Outing Flannel Skirts, 25 cts.

Silk Petticoats

In White, Black and Colored Taffeta (in street and evening shades,) in a large variety of styles in best quality taffeta; 37, 39, 42-inch,

at \$5.00, \$6.75 & \$8.75. value \$7.75 to \$15.00.

Kimonos.

In Outing Flannel, flowered design, bound with fancy ribbon at \$1.45 & \$1.65.

In Crépon and Flowered Challie, bound with fancy ribbon, at \$1.65, value \$2.50 to \$4.50.

In Novelty Crépe, bound with pompadour ribbon, at \$2.45, value \$4.50. In Oriental Crépe, bound with satin ribbon,

at \$1.95. In Albatross, bound with wash ribbon,

at \$3.75, value \$6.00.

Short Kimonos in outing flannel in flowered effect and Crépon, bound with fancy ribbon, at 98 cts.

Eiderdown Wrappers & Kimonos at \$2.95

Corsets.

Straight Front Corsets. In Fine Coutil, attached supporters,

\$1.35 & \$1.65, value \$2.50 to \$4.00. In Fancy Batiste, including one model genuine whalebone, \$2.75, value \$5.50 to \$8.00.

In Brocade Batiste, genuine whalebone, attached supporters \$3.75, value \$10.00. front and sides, Lord & Taylor

Broadway and Twentieth St., Fifth Ave., Nineteenth St.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Fanuary 3rd and 4th.

Opening of Embroideries, Embroidered Robes and Waist Patterns for Season, 1905.

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